

# THE WEATHER

LOUISIANA: Cloudy to partly cloudy tonight and Saturday with scattered showers in north portion; warmer tonight and in southeast portion Saturday.  
ARKANSAS: Cloudy to partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Showers and warmer in east portion tonight.

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# FINLAND URGES HALT IN WAR

## CONWAY DENIES ELECTION LAW TO BE BROKEN

Says No Other Way Than Forwarding Returns By Mail Planned

### PARRIES ONE QUERY

Won't Say Whether Ballots Sent Otherwise Would Be Accepted

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Secretary of State E. A. Conway, answering queries directed to him by candidates and a civic group, denied any plan was contemplated for forwarding election returns other than by United States mail.

He made public letters he wrote in reply to queries of Joseph A. Arvey, chairman of the Citizens' Voluntary Committee of Louisiana, and three state candidates and representatives of two others.

Arvey's letter asked whether the secretary of state would accept election returns which were not forwarded through the mails, as required by state election law.

In reply, Conway asserted this was a hypothetical question he was unprepared to answer.

"I do not feel," he wrote, "that I have a right to presume that the commissioners and election officials will do otherwise than obey the law."

"If, however, the question should arise, I imagine that it would be my procedure to ask the attorney general of the state of Louisiana for an opinion as to what any action should be taken."

The candidate referred to "persistent" authentic rumors, "going the rounds" that the secretary of state would open branch offices through the state and receive election returns by messengers instead of through the mails.

Conway's message, asking the secretary of state to open the law regarding mailing of election returns, was signed with the names of Charles Zastanar and James Feely, campaign managers, respectively, for gubernatorial candidates Sam Jones and James Morrison.

Vincent Massey, another candidate for governor, and a candidate for lieutenant governor, and Fred Poirier, candidate for state treasurer.

Conway said his office had taken no steps to open branches for receiving returns.

"It is our intention to conduct the tabulations of the returns of the election to be held throughout the state on January 16, 1940, in the same manner as has been done for many years in accordance with the law," he wrote.

"For your further information, instructions are prepared and furnished to the commissioners of elections stating that the returns should be sent through the United States mail."

The secretary of state ended both replies with this statement:

"It goes without saying that this office would like to tabulate the vote of every elector in this state which is duly and legally cast."

## ABERNATHY ONE OF 3 INDICTED

Former Governor Leche And George Younger Are Other Two

LAKE CHARLES, La., Dec. 15.—(AP)—The federal mail fraud indictment returned here against former Governor Richard W. Leche and two others charges they made an illegal profit of \$111,370.56 on Louisiana highway commission purchases.

Leche, I. P. Abernathy, former chairman of the Louisiana highway commission, and George Younger, head of the Younger Motor Truck company of Alexandria, were indicted Wednesday, but details of the case were not made public until last night.

The indictment alleged that in 1937 and 1938 the commission purchased 233 trucks and other equipment from the motor company for \$397,332.05, permitting a profit of \$111,370.56.

The bill said Younger got \$56,953.44 of the profit and James Thomas (named but not indicted or otherwise identified) \$54,417.12. Thomas it was alleged then turned over \$31,000 to Leche.

The government said Younger's

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## Have You Registered?

You must be registered and have your poll receipt for 1938 and 1939 to be eligible to vote in the coming primary. The registrar's office closes NEXT SATURDAY, 30 days before the primary. You may sign the poll book any time before December 31. REGISTER NOW before it's too late. You may register and sign the poll book at the courthouse.

## Graf Spee Makes Preparations To Run Gauntlet

ATLANTA'S SCARLETT



Here at last, folks, is Atlanta's Scarlett O'Hara. Picked from a blossoming crop of southern debutantes, Miss Margaret Palmer, 20-year-old junior leaguer, was found to have measurements closest to those of Vivien Leigh, who plays Scarlett in the film, "Gone With the Wind." Wearing a Scarlett O'Hara gown, in a town gone wild with the wind, Miss Palmer was belle of the breeze as she led the grand march at Atlanta's charity ball last night.

## MILLER DENIES HE LOOKED ON DEAL AS FRAUD

Tells Of Astonishment, However, At Check Of First Check

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Henry J. Miller, an accountant, testified today in the Shushan mail fraud trial that he would have withdrawn from the levee bond deal in which he and four others were indicted "if I had thought there was any fraud used."

Miller, A. L. Shushan, former president of the Orleans levee board and three other Louisianians are on trial before Federal Judge Wayne G. Borah for allegedly using the mails to defraud in sharing a \$486,000 bond refunding fee paid to the investment firm of Newman, Harris and company.

Miller, who testified as the first defense witness late yesterday after Judge Borah had overruled motions for a directed verdict of acquittal, resumed his testimony today.

"Did you have any evil designs or bad motives in entering this matter?" he was asked by Warren O. Coleman, his attorney.

"Certainly not," Miller replied. "The only intention of my participation was to take part in a legitimate business transaction for a reasonable fee that would benefit the board."

Miller testified that he had never been connected with a fraudulent transaction and "if I had thought there was any fraud used in this re-

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## TUG ATTEMPTING TO FLOAT BRITISH SHIP

PLAQUEMINE, La., Dec. 15.—(AP)—The tug Adler today worked at freeing the British oil tanker British Officer, aground six miles north of here at Manchac Bend with a gaping hole in her side after a collision with a barge fleet.

The tanker's master, Captain R. H. Guenvel, said after the vessel is refloated it would be taken to New Orleans for repairs. He said he thought his ship could be freed from the sand bank without unloading its cargo of oil.

A barge, one of six being pushed upstream by the tugboat Mokita, collided with the British Officer yesterday morning, ripping a huge hole in her bow above the water line.

Efforts of the Adler although aided by the tanker's own engines, failed at first to refloat the British ship but the work continued. The Adler came to the British Officer's assistance from New Orleans.

## ATLANTA SAFE DESPITE RUSH ON FILM STARS

World Premiere Of 'Gone With the Wind' Set For Tonight

ATLANTA, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Atlanta's handsome problem baby looked strangely like a model child today as a pleasantly dazed city prepared to close out its "Gone With the Wind" jamboree in a final flourish of floodlights and fun—and not a blood-bath.

Maybe Atlanta isn't having the time of its collective life, but you'd have a hard time proving it.

Anticipated troubles turned into only family hoped-for triumphs when the promoters of this movie paraded a large covey of stars safely through a crowd larger than the combined armies that fought for Atlanta 80 years ago, when the Junior League swung out with a ball that packed more raz-

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## C. E. GREEN'S DEATH OCCURS

Brown Mill Foreman Succumbs From Sudden Heart Attack

Clarence Elmer Green, 50, night superintendent of the Brown Paper mill, died of a heart attack at his home, 610 North Fourth street, West Monroe, Friday at 9 a.m.

There will be a short funeral service at the Dixie Funeral home Friday at 8 p.m., when Dr. A. E. Prince, pastor of the First Baptist church in West Monroe, will officiate. The body will be taken on a night train to Moss Point, Miss., for interment.

Active pallbearers will be members of the Masonic lodge in West Monroe, No. 419, and honorary pallbearers will be the following: E. L. Wrenn, F. J. Ortiz, O. W. Getchell, T. T. Phillips, Charles Myers, L. N. Rainbolt, Ed. Lolley and A. C. Saxon.

Mr. Green leaves his wife and the following sons and daughters: J. C. and R. E. Green, Misses Doris, Annie Louise, Marjorie and Joyce Green, all of West Monroe.

Mr. Green was active in Masonic and other circles and was well known and highly regarded.

There will be a funeral service held at the home of L. E. Westfall in Moss Point Saturday at 3 p.m., and interment will take place in a cemetery in that place.

## ALLIES PLACE MORE SHIPS ON GUARD AT PORT

36 Members Of German Craft's Crew Buried On Uruguayan Soil

### SEE NORTH SEA FIGHT

Strong Detachment Of Nazi Navy Sallies Into That Area

MONTEVIDEO, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Refueling of the battered German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee began today amid growing expectation she would put to sea despite the increased strength of British warships lying off this neutral refuge in wait for her.

Oil was loaded into the Graf Spee from the German freighter Tacoma and the warship's crew worked to repair the damage caused by Wednesday's day-long shelling by three British cruisers which finally forced the German ship to take refuge here.

While preparations for a possible dash for freedom were being made, officers and a third of the Graf Spee's crew buried on Uruguayan soil the 36 men killed in the Wednesday battle, first major naval engagement of the European war.

British quarters here indicated that the 10,000-ton British cruiser Cumberland had been added to the patrol off Montevideo and official Argentine sources said they "understood" that the 26,500-ton French battleship Dunkerque was steaming here to join the blockading force. However, the feeling grew in Montevideo that the German ship should attempt to run the gauntlet.

REINFORCED GUARD MOUNTED BY ALLIES

(By Associated Press)

Finland stretched out her hand anew today to Soviet Russia for settlement of their conflict peacefully and emphasized rejection of the offer meant resistance to the bitter end against the Red army forces.

In the German-French-British war a heavy clash between British and German fleets over the North Sea vied for the spotlight with the situation of the trapped German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee in Montevideo.

The warship was being refueled and repaired in the harbor apparently for a dash for the open sea despite the reinforcement of allied warships waiting to pounce upon her to eliminate her once and for all from the war.

The Finnish offer was made in a broadcast by Foreign Minister Vaino Tanner. He addressed it to Premier-Foreign Minister Vyacheslav Molotov of the Soviet Union.

"Finland still is ready for peaceful negotiation," Tanner said, "but if Moscow's aim is conquest of the whole country then the Finns will fight to the end."

Underlining the latter declaration, all reservists thus far not called to the colors were told to report for duty tomorrow.

In the North Sea aerial clash, British said their fighters bombed Nazi seaplanes at coastal bases, lost three planes to four for the Germans in combat and sighted German warships conveying a cruiser crippled by a British submarine.

The German version was that 10 of 20 British planes were downed with only one German plane forced to alight.

A British announcement said the German freighter Adolf Leonhardt,

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## Good Fellows' Benefits To Be Given Next Few Days

Previously acknowledged	\$175.25
Ann and Jerry	5.00
Rotary club of Monroe	5.00
C. T. Johnson	2.00
Mrs. A. A. Preston	1.00
James Granville Tierney	1.00
Tommy Cobb Tierney	1.00
Billy Cobb Allen	1.00
Sabbath School, Congregation B'nai Israel	2.50
Jack Teria	1.00
Jean Teria	1.00
In Memory of Joe Brownlee	2.00
A Friend	2.00
In Memory of Mrs. Maude G. Herring	1.00
Bill and John	5.00
Total	\$235.75
Box of toys from Rotary club	

We are happy to be able to report today that we know of three benefit programs for Good Fellows that are to be presented. A "food benefit" will be given by Benny Bicknell, manager of the Paramount theater Saturday at 10 a.m.; Gus Kallio will give a benefit wrestling match at the

## Odd Items In The News

(By Associated Press)

MAN WHO WASN'T THERE  
PITTSBURGH—A jury acquitted John D. Biddle, M. of drunken driving but he went to jail just the same. Judge Thomas Crichton gave him a five-day sentence for not being in court to hear the verdict and also ordered him to pay 80 per cent of the trial cost.

PAPER MAYHEM  
SABRIDGE, Mass.—Mrs. Stella M. Farina of Hudson, weight 100 pounds, told Probate Judge Arthur E. Beane that her husband, weight 250, knocked her unconscious during their honeymoon and later sent her a photo of herself from which he had cut her eyes and ears. She got her divorce.

TOO LATE  
SAN ANTONIO, Tex.—Two packages have just come to the Alamo for David Crockett, Crockett, bear hunter and Tennessee congressman, died a

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## EUROPE'S WAR PROVING BOON TO DEEP SOUTH

Greatest Tourist Crop In History Expected In Winter Months

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—(AP)—War in Europe, with the accompaniment of mines and submarines, has proved a bonanza to the deep south in general and New Orleans in particular, which expect the greatest tourist crop in history during the winter months.

Steamship, railroad, bus and airline executives spoke like Chamber of Commerce enthusiasts in their glowing predictions of the folding money harvest to be gathered from the traveling outsiders.

They were unanimous in attributing the expected influx to the war in Europe and the dearth of transatlantic travel because of submarine and mine menaces, as well as to the attractions of the Sugar Bowl, Mardi Gras and spring fests in New Orleans, the annual pilgrimage in Natchez, Miss., and other southern fests.

Already the port of New Orleans has begun to feel the effects of the increased tourist tempo and larger business with Central and South American countries, which heretofore depended largely on European countries for various products.

All merchants, from the largest department stores, to one-man antique shops have increased their stocks considerably and some have added to their staffs in excess of the usual Christmas increases.

Ticket offices of railroads and steamship companies have been swamped with inquiries from all parts of the country and even from the Canal Zone and other Central American points.

The steamship Toloa, sailing from New Orleans Saturday, December 16, for Central America, was booked solid, a week before the scheduled departure, for the first time in the history of the United Fruit company which operates the vessel.

Joseph Leze, recently elected president of the National Association of American Railroad Ticket Agents,

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SANTA BUCKS WINTER HEAT



Like many other western and midwestern cities, Oklahoma City has been experiencing unseasonably warm weather with the approach of the Christmas season. When the mercury finally went up to 75 degrees, W. S. Thompson, professional Santa Claus in a department store, couldn't stand his red suit and boots any longer. Here we find him trying to cool off with the help of a pair of swimming trunks and a fan.

## OVERTON SAYS EARL K. LONG IS HONEST MAN

Asserts He'll Match Administration Candidates With Others

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—(AP)—United States Senator John H. Overton, speaking over a statewide radio network last night in behalf of the candidacy of Governor Earl K. Long, said administration of justice had been "politicized" in Louisiana.

He said it was difficult to empanel a jury which would be "so free of factional bias as to avoid either acquitting the guilty or punishing the innocent."

He reiterated that Attorney General Frank Murphy has assured him Long was not under investigation or in danger of being indicted.

All five candidates were in the field yesterday, with Long at the head of the parade, when more firecrackers were exploded during his meeting.

An explosion in the LaSalle parish courthouse temporarily disturbed his rally. Firecrackers were exploded at another of his rallies recently.

Vincent Massey spoke at DeRidder, Sam Jones at Melville, James H. Morrison at Morgan City and James A. Noe at Shreveport.

Overton was preceded in his address last night by I. B. Renssion, member of the dock board, who attacked "misrepresentation" of facts about the dock board by "prejudiced newspapers" and candidates.

He maintained that by "using the same rule that has been used during all the past years, New Orleans still is the second port in the United States in value of foreign cargoes handled."

Senator Overton began with the assertion that he wished to speak of men, not measures, and that "there has been, too much vituperation and abuse."

"If for example, the charges made by the anti-Long candidates for governor against each other be correct, if it is true what Sam Jones says

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## WARNING IS GIVEN OF 'HUMAN BOMB'

ST. PAUL, Dec. 15.—(AP)—The federal bureau of investigation today appealed to law enforcement officers of northwest states to watch for a "human bomb."

L. H. Richmond, in charge of the F. B. I. here, said Herbert Lowe, 26, Wisconsin farmer, sought for burglary at Winona, Minn., and escaping after his arrest at Mauston, Wis., carried a vial of nitroglycerin and threatened to end his life with it rather than be captured again.

Richmond described Lowe as one of the "crack" safe blowers of the country.

## APPEAL SEEKS RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS

Principle Of Small Nations' Right Of Self-Determination Stressed

### NATIONS OFFER AID

Task Of Delivering Goods To Small Country To Prove Difficult

HELSINKI, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Finland told Soviet Russia today that she was still open for peaceful negotiations but if Moscow's aim was "conquest of the whole country then the Finns will fight to the end."

HELSINKI, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Finland's foreign minister, Vaino Tanner, today appealed in a radio broadcast to Russian Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov for a suspension of hostilities and resumption of negotiations on the basis of the principles of small nations' right of self-determination.

Tanner, who took part in the long-drawn Kremlin negotiations which preceded the Russian invasion, recalled that Russia had lent support to this principle.

He recalled also how the Moscow government broke off diplomatic relations with Finland, refused mediation by the United States, rejected Sweden's efforts at conciliation and spurned the League of Nations' appeal for mediation of the dispute.

"However, the way is still open," Tanner said.

"When I recently visited the big agricultural exposition at Moscow, the Finnish foreign minister said, 'I saw on the wall of one of the buildings a stirring sentence by your leader, Mr. Stalin:

"The Soviet Union does not covet a single inch of the territory of other states but it will defend every inch of its own soil."

"There is reason at this moment to save that slogan from sinking into oblivion."

"Finland still is ready for peaceful negotiation, but if Moscow's aim is conquest of the whole country then the Finns will fight to the end."

"Already the first 16 days have shown that the war will be fierce and demand many victims. Why shed blood so long as there are other possibilities unexamined?"

"While Finland's defenders were retreating on the far northern coast, holding their own on the vital Kola isthmus and reporting successful counter attacks on the central fronts. All reservists thus far not called to the colors but capable of serving were

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## THINK GERMAN VESSEL TO BE USED AS BAIT

Believe Columbus Trying To Lure British Ships Into Battle Trap

VERACRUZ, Mexico, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Speculation arose today that Germany's third largest merchant ship, the 32,581-ton liner Columbus, was being used to lure British warships into a battle trap.

Foreign sources said the big passenger ship, painted battleship gray and carrying provisions and fuel for a 30-day voyage, sailed from Veracruz yesterday as bait for British war vessels, as a supply ship for Nazi men-o-war or to make a bold dash for home.

No word had been received from her since she sailed, ostensibly for Oslo, Norway, but unconfirmed reports said she already was being trailed by a British destroyer.

Foreign sources said that the Columbus' representatives seemed with a carefully contrived appearance of secrecy to have taken part in any interested party—such as British and French agents in Mexico—know the exact hour of her departure and her early course.

With persistent reports that Germany, as well as British, warships have been operating in the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean sea, they expressed

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## MRS. R. H. OLIVER SUCCUMBS HERE

Death Of Well Known Resident Occurs After Lingering Illness

Mrs. Pearl Peyton Oliver, 72, wife of R. H. Oliver, Sr., of 201 Louisville avenue, died in a local hospital Friday at 3 a. m. after a lingering illness.

The funeral will be held at the residence Saturday at 10 a. m. Rev. L. T. Hastings, pastor of the First Baptist church, of which she was long a member, will officiate and interment will be in Riverview Burial park, under the direction of the Lawhead-Davis Funeral home.

Mrs. Oliver was the only daughter of the late George Washington Peyton and Caroline Jordan Peyton, of Grand Cane, La. Her father was for years the leading citizen, merchant and cotton broker of his section of the state. He was a member of the old Peyton family of Virginia.

Mrs. Oliver was beloved by all who knew her, being a good neighbor and

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## MONOXIDE POISONING CAUSES MAN'S DEATH

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Dr. Philip Montelepe, assistant parish coroner, held today that Cyril Forest, 37, a drug store proprietor of Raceland, La., died during the night from monoxide poisoning, caused by a burning gas heater in a tightly-closed room.

Forest was found dead in bed at the home of his sister, Mrs. Milton Loebes, where he was visiting.

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## ROSS BANISTER HEADS ALUMNI

Fifth District L. S. U. Group Has Election; Officials Attend

The Fifth District Louisiana State University Alumni association met at the Northeast Junior college library Thursday night when Ross Banister was elected president of the group. Other officers named were Dr. Grace Ingledue, vice president; Olive Lusk, secretary-treasurer; and Dr. J. H. Lusk, secretary.

Paul M. Hebert, acting president of Louisiana State University and Colonel Troy Middleton, acting vice president and controller of the university.

Each of the visitors delivered short talks in which they told of the progress of the state university and its forward-looking program.

Films were shown of campus scenes and also of the L. S. U.-Tulane football game.

### TO ENTERTAIN

Ten-year home demonstration club members will be guests of Mrs. Jewel McQuillier, home demonstration agent, at a luncheon and Christmas party Monday. Members will bring gifts which will be exchanged. The only business to be conducted will be the pledging of new members, the agent has announced.

## AGENT DISCUSSES OUTLOOK FOR 1940

"The Farm Family Living Outlook for 1940" was discussed by Mrs. Jewel McQuillier, home demonstration agent, at the December meeting of the Drew Home Demonstration club held in the home of Mrs. Clara Gilliland.

After the program, members enjoyed a Christmas party, each receiving a gift from a bright Christmas tree. Refreshments were served to the 23 members and five guests present.

A great development of Arizona's asbestos resources is predicted by mining men when market demands and prices increase. In 1920 approximately \$150,000 worth of asbestos was produced in Arizona.

## SPEAKER



Owen N. Walther (above) of Gibson, La., a leader in the Spanish moss industry, will be the principal speaker at the annual Engineers' banquet at Louisiana Tech Thursday night, December 21. He is a Tech engineering graduate and will speak on "The Alumni."

## EX-COMMUNIST LECTURES HERE

Edgar Lehmann Tells Town Hall Audience Of His Awakening

Because of racial attractions and the approach of the holiday season, there was a small, although enthusiastic, attendance at the Town Hall lecture by Edgar Lehmann, former Communist, on "Return to Democracy." Mr. Lehmann was a member of the Communist party but he had an awakening and it was of this change of heart that he spoke.

He declared that Hitler, while a great man, is a man of hate and that his policies are based on hate. He declared that communism is something that works away at the status of democracy and through false propaganda and misrepresentation, endeavors to undermine society and take away human rights so that self-imposed dictators may rule in magnificent splendor.

Mr. Lehmann traced his early history starting with his birth as son of a Lutheran minister. At 17 he said he was making a mark in Gary, Ind., and was making \$50 a week. Then came the market crash and start of the depression in 1929. This he declared was the worst time of his life.

He declared that he was looking for the first time at the things that were going on in the world and what would remedy the situation. He lost his job but as he had saved a few hundred dollars he went to college where he sought to have a better understanding of the things that were going on. But his parents could not afford it. He left college and began to look for a way to live. He began to see that the system of government was not working. He drifted into unbelief of the things that were being done by Communist leaders, and drifting to the Pacific coast he participated in the strike there.

His next step was to go to France in Spain. He said that while the world he lived in, he saw that the world was being divided. He saw that the world was being divided into two parts. He saw that the world was being divided into two parts. He saw that the world was being divided into two parts.

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He then told of his escape as a stowaway on a ship. In closing, he declared that communism is a conspiracy of greed and destruction. For all that is good and holy, and the complete destruction of democracy and human rights.

Were the United States to enter the present war, he declared that he was almost assured that the country would embrace fascism in the shortest possible time, and that human rights would never be restored.

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The speaker was introduced by Rabbi F. K. Hirsch. There was a period of informal discussion and questions were asked by the audience at the close of the lecture.

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## SCHOOL MASTER DEFENDS SELF IN DYNAMITING

Accused Of Attempting To Kill Women He Couldn't Win

DALLAS, Dec. 15.—(AP)—E. Ross Wyatt, a school master of Ichabod Crane statue, rose today to defend himself against a charge of attempting to dynamite out of his life a pretty school marm he couldn't win.

Tearfully his divorced wife, Mrs. Lela Wyatt, has accused pretty Mary Jo Miller, 26, of stealing her husband's affections and of wrecking their home.

Mrs. Miller testified she "accepted Wyatt's kisses to hold my job" but later rejected his attentions and fled to her brother's home here.

Wyatt is being tried on three indictments based on the July, 1938, dynamiting of Miss Miller's brother's house here. One charges him with attempting to take the teacher's life.

She was not injured.

Mrs. Miller began her teaching career under Wyatt's superintendency at Brookeland, Tex., when she was 18. She now is physical education instructor at Oak Park, Ill., suburban home of many wealthy Chicagoans.

Mrs. Miller said she accused Miss Miller of stealing her husband's love in 1932.

"Mary Jo, you are doing things, you are making a record here. You are a thief and you are a robber. You have stolen the affections of my husband and you are robbing my child of a home."

"Mary Jo, I want you to remember one thing: You are sowing now and some day you are going to reap."

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## ROSS BANISTER HEADS ALUMNI

### Fifth District L. S. U. Group Has Election; Officials Attend

The Fifth District Louisiana State University Alumni association met at the Northeast Junior college library Thursday night when Ross Banister was elected president of the group. Other officers named were Dr. Grace Ingledue, vice president, O. V. Lusk, secretary-treasurer.

Paul M. Hebert, acting president of Louisiana State university and Colonel Troy Middleton, acting vice president and comptroller of the university. Each of the visitors delivered short talks in which they told of the progress of the state university and of its forward-looking program.

Films were shown of campus scenes and also of the L. S. U.-Tulane football game.

**TO ENTERTAIN**

Ten-year home demonstration club members will be guests of Mrs. Jewel McQuiller, home demonstration agent, at a luncheon and Christmas party Monday. Members will bring gifts which will be exchanged. The only business to be conducted will be the pledging of new members, the agent has announced.

## AGENT DISCUSSES OUTLOOK FOR 1940

"The Farm Family Living Outlook for 1940," was discussed by Mrs. Jewel McQuiller, home demonstration agent, at the December meeting of the Drew Home Demonstration club held in the home of Mrs. Clara Gilliland.

After the program, members enjoyed a Christmas party, each receiving a gift from a bright Christmas tree. Refreshments were served to the 23 members and five guests present.

A great development of Arizona's asbestos resources is predicted by mining men when market demands and prices increase. In 1920 approximately \$750,000 worth of asbestos was produced in Arizona.

## SPEAKER



Owen N. Walther (above) of Gibson, La., a leader in the Spanish moss industry, will be the principal speaker at the annual Engineers' banquet at Louisiana Tech Thursday night, December 21. He is a Tech engineering graduate and will speak on "The Alumni."

## EX-COMMUNIST LECTURES HERE

Edgar Lehmann Tells Town Hall Audience Of His Awakening

Because of real attractions and the approach of the holiday season, there was a small, but enthusiastic, attendance at the Town Hall lecture by Edgar Lehmann, ex-communist, on "Return to Democracy." Mr. Lehmann was a member of the Communist party, but he had an awakening and now it was of this change of heart that he spoke.

He declared that Hitler, while a great man in the human rights and liberty generally, is by no means as great a threat to democracy as Stalin and Russian communism. He declared that communism is something that works as a tool of the state, and that it is through false propaganda and misrepresentation, and efforts to undermine society and take away human rights, so that self-imposed dictators may rule in magnificent splendor.

Mr. Lehmann traced his early history starting with his father as a farmer in Missouri. At 17 he said he was sent to work in Germany, Indiana and was making \$4 a week. Then came the market crash and start of the depression in 1929. This he said caused him to consider very deeply the economic situation of the times for the first time and to study what was going on generally and what would be the effect on the state. He lost his job but as he had saved a few hundred dollars he went to college where he taught to live in a rooming house. But his problems did not end there. He left college disappointed and began to become interested in the system of government in Germany. He did not get into the Communist party until 1934. He said that while the Soviet Union was the most democratic Spain was fighting for existence and that the United States government there were being conducted by Russian communists. This attracted Lehmann to the cause and he joined the party. He called himself a "Red" and himself in the local situation there.

He narrated with a line how the cities were destroyed, the people slaughtered, and how communism was only a means which was operating in a cruel manner to bring into the hands of Stalin and his associates.

He was disillusioned after he had participated for some months in the struggle and after his beloved friend Mike had been slain.

He then told of his escape as a stowaway on a ship.

In 1935, he declared that communism is a conspiracy of greed and destruction for all that is good and holy, and the complete destruction of democracy and human rights.

Were the United States to enter the present war, he declared that he was almost assured that the country would embrace fascism in the shortest possible time, and that human rights would never be restored.

The speaker was introduced by Rabbi F. K. Hirsch. There was a period of informal discussion and questions were asked by the audience at the close of the lecture.

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## SCHOOL MASTER DEFENDS SELF IN DYNAMITING

### Accused Of Attempting To Kill Woman He Couldn't Win

DALLAS, Dec. 15.—(AP)—E. Ross Wyatt, a school master of Ichabod Crane stature, rose today to defend himself against a charge of attempting to dynamite out of his life a pretty school ma'am he couldn't win.

Tearfully his divorced wife, Mrs. Lola Wyatt, has accused pretty Mary Jo Miller, 26, of stealing her husband's affections and of wrecking their home.

Miss Miller testified she "accepted Wyatt's kisses to hold my job" but later rejected his attentions and fled to her brother's home here.

Wyatt is being tried on three indict-

ments based on the July, 1938, dynamiting of Miss Miller's brother's house here. One charges him with attempting to take the teacher's life. She was not injured.

Miss Miller began her teaching career under Wyatt's superintendency at Brookeland, Tex., when she was 18. She now is physical education instructor at Oak Park, Ill., suburban home of many wealthy Chicagoans.

Miss Thelma Powell, 24, a former student, professed love for Wyatt as she testified he was in a Newton, Tex., cafe 250 miles from Dallas, a few hours before the explosion.

Mrs. Wyatt said she accused Miss Miller of stealing her husband's love in 1932.

"Mary Jo, you are doing things, you are making a record here. You are a thief and you are a robber. You have stolen the affections of my husband and you are robbing my child of a home."

"Mary Jo, I want you to remember one thing: You are going now and some day you are going to reap."

The divorcee said she did not remember when she first saw her husband and Miss Miller together "under improper circumstances," adding in a tired voice "there were no many times."

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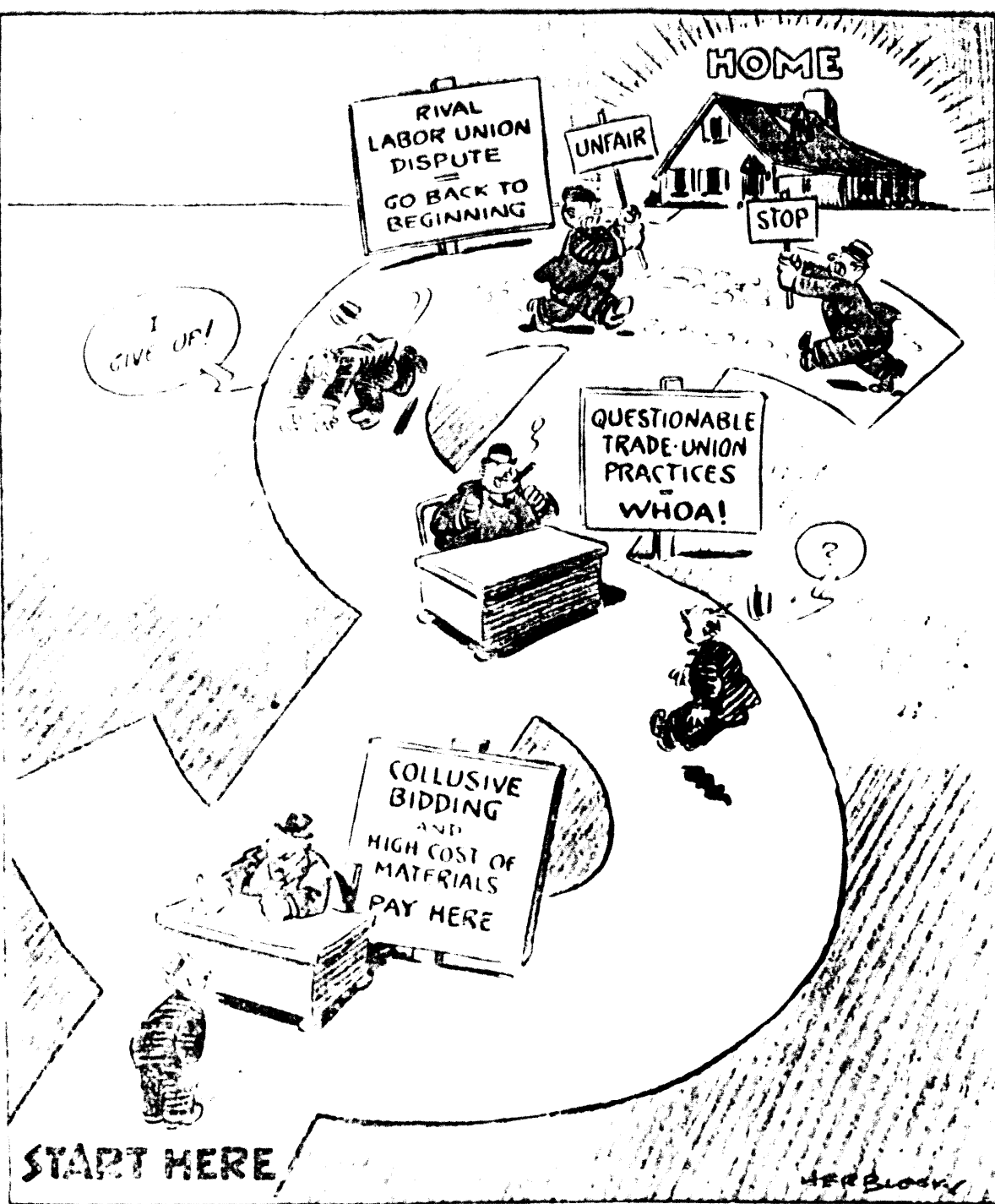
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CHARLIE SUMMARY OF A CHICAGO HANDICAP  
The Chicago Handicap, a series of races for handicapped horses, is a unique feature of the city's racing scene. It provides a chance for horses that might otherwise be overlooked to showcase their abilities. The races are held at the Chicago Race Track, and the results are often surprising. The handicappers work hard to ensure that each race is fair and competitive. The once-over is a must-watch event for racing enthusiasts.

**THE CONSTRUCTION GAME**  
A cartoon illustration depicting the construction industry as a game. A large circular board is shown with various pieces and signs. Signs include: "RIVAL LABOR UNION DISPUTE GO BACK TO BEGINNING", "UNFAIR STOP", "HOME", "QUESTIONABLE TRADE-UNION PRACTICES WHOA!", "COLLUSIVE BIDDING AND HIGH COST OF MATERIALS PAY HERE", and "START HERE". A character is shown sitting at a desk with a sign that says "GIVE UP?". The cartoon is signed "HAROLD BLOOM".

**Jimmie Fidler In Hollywood**  
HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 15.—News that Jimmie Fidler, a well-known actor, is set to star in a new film has caused a stir in the industry. Fidler, known for his roles in several popular movies, is being touted as a major discovery. His upcoming role is expected to be a breakthrough for him. Fans are excited about the possibility of seeing him in a new light. The film is set to be released next month.

**Business Is On Good Behavior**

The business community in Monroe is showing signs of recovery. Many businesses are reporting an increase in sales and a return to normalcy. The local economy is showing resilience and a positive outlook for the future. Business leaders are optimistic about the prospects ahead.

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**Our Children**  
By ANGLO PARRI  
GUN GAMES  
The issue of gun games for children is a complex one. While some argue that it is a natural part of growing up, others believe it is harmful. The article explores the pros and cons of gun games and offers advice for parents on how to handle the situation. It discusses the impact of gun games on a child's development and the role of society in regulating them.

**BATEMAN TO TALK AT TECH BANQUET**  
BATEMAN, the famous actor, will be the guest of honor at the annual Tech Banquet. The event is a major fundraiser for the local arts and sciences community. Bateman will give a speech and perform. The banquet is expected to be a night of celebration and fundraising.

**IN NEW YORK**  
A collection of news items from New York City. Topics include the latest in fashion, entertainment, and local events. The section provides a snapshot of life in the Big Apple.

**Miss Santa Claus**  
The search for Miss Santa Claus is underway. The local chapter of the Santa Claus Club is looking for a woman to represent Santa in the community. The ideal candidate should be kind, generous, and have a love for children. The search is open to all women in the area.

**Mail Early—Shop Early**  
Attention has been directed to the fact that, because of the holiday season, mail delivery will be delayed. Residents are urged to send their mail early to ensure it reaches its destination. Similarly, shoppers are encouraged to start early to avoid the crowds and ensure they get the gifts they need.

**MONROE RESIDENT IS HELD IN TEXAS**  
A Monroe resident has been arrested in Texas on charges of theft. The man was found in possession of stolen goods and is being held in a local jail. The police are working to trace the stolen items and identify other potential victims. The man is being held pending further investigation.

**Radio**  
A list of radio programs and stations. The list includes the names of the programs, the stations they are broadcast on, and the times they air. It is a helpful resource for listeners looking for new programs or checking the schedule of their favorite shows.

**McNitt Gags**  
Senator McNitt has been caught in a series of gaffes. His comments have been misinterpreted, leading to confusion and embarrassment. The gaffes have become a running joke in the political circles. McNitt has tried to downplay the incidents, but the damage to his reputation is significant.

**MOPSY**  
By GLADYS PARKER  
A cartoon strip featuring the character Mopsy. The strip depicts a humorous situation involving Mopsy and her friends. The cartoon is signed "GLADYS PARKER".

**Pity For Poor Turkey**  
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By Howard W. Binkeslee  
(Associated Press Science Editor)  
URBANA, Ill., Dec. 15.—The foam on beer is going to last longer because of a discovery announced today at the University of Illinois.

Two Illinois chemists, Dr. George L. Clark and Sydney Ross, have found the secret of long life for a beer bubble. They have found how to use bubbles as a standard of quality and

how brewers can tell by bubbles when the beer is "right." Foam sells beer. Its stability is a function, say scientists, of the brightness or clearness of the drink. The froth is due to gas, placed in the beer either by bubbling through the liquid or by letting the beer fall through an atmosphere of gas.

But a long time worry of brewers has been a tendency of the gas to escape too rapidly, leaving the drink "flat." The chemical cause for this has been found at Illinois. It is something nobody had suspected, a connection between bubbles, proteins and metal.

Proteins are normal parts of good beer. They are nutritional and they have flavor effect. They come mostly from grain. They give beer its clearness provided they are completely dissolved.

But if a protein "precipitates," that is, comes out of solution and turns into a fine bit of sediment, the gas

gathers on the particles. This causes it to bubble out too fast. There are only three or four of these "bad" proteins in beer. It is to get rid of them that beer is "aged" by standing in vats. The Illinois chemists report that ultra-violet light instantly destroys these few "bad" proteins.

However, the mischievous food factors are not the whole story of better beer bubbles. The slightest amount of dissolved copper or tin in the beer acts like a red flag to all proteins. They "go for" the metal particles, and precipitate from the beer to gather on the metal. Then they pick up gas and premature fizzing follows.

It is because of this that beer in cans is protected from the metal by a double coating, first a resin, then a wax over it. But the Illinois chemists discovered something not previously believed possible in brewing, namely that beer picks up a slight amount of metal from the aging vat.

The amount is two-tenths of one part of metal for a million parts by weight of beer.

By getting rid of all the dissolved metal and the "bad" proteins, beer can be made to retain its bubbles half an hour or more longer than if it has these impurities.

Dr. Clark said that the instantaneous aging with ultra-violet light does not impair any of the quality of beer. Whether this quick aging may change the flavor he said will have to be left to the judgment of beer tasters.

**UNAUTHORIZED AGENTS ACTING**

Louisiana Baptist Home  
Official Gives State-  
ment To Public

The Louisiana Baptist Children's home appreciates the business men of Monroe and has tried to conduct its business in an ethical way towards everyone," stated Superintendent B. F. Wallace. "Many of the business concerns of Monroe make direct contributions to the Children's home and these contributions are always gladly accepted and the donor sent a receipt. We regret that anyone should take subscriptions to magazines, solicit any form of advertising or sell any article whatsoever with the name of the Children's home connected with it."

There are no young men from the home taking subscriptions to magazines in order to pay their way through college. Our former members do not beg and we are greatly embarrassed here at the home at present because in certain sections tickets of chance, articles of food and other things are put on the market against our permission, but representing to our members as if benefit to the Children's home. We ask the housewives as well as the business concerns not to receive people making any solicitation for this home unless they have the proper credentials with them showing they have been authorized by the superintendent.

It is the policy of the Children's home to receive offerings from its members and to use these religious offerings and to thank them personally for their gifts. We endeavor to conduct our business in a businesslike way and appreciate the confidence and cooperation of all people.

At the Christmas season, when everyone is thinking of making some kind of donation to orphan children, we regret that there are so many appeals made and many respond to which, if the donor had time to investigate, there would not have been a response made.

"The Baptist Children's home receives any white orphan child from anywhere in Louisiana that is not possessed with some disease that would affect the health of the children here. The children are not given away, they attend public school, they visit their friends, and the home is always open to visitors. There is no orphan atmosphere around this institution. It lives by the voluntary contributions of the friends of orphan children and does not resort to any 'tricks of trade' for its support."

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM TO BE PRESENTED**

The following program of Christmas music will be given Sunday night in the main auditorium of the First Baptist church by the choir, D. C. Black, director, and Mrs. B. D. Albright, accompanist:

Prelude, selection from "The Messiah," Mrs. B. D. Albright.  
Hymn, "Softly Now the Light of Day" (Von Weber), choir.  
Hymn, "Silent Night" (Gruber), balcony choir.  
Hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful" (Reading), choir and congregation.  
Prayer, Rev. L. T. Hastings.  
Hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (Redner), choir and congregation.  
Solo, "Luther's Cradle Hymn" (Luther), Mrs. S. L. Webb.  
Scripture reading, "The Christmas Story," Rev. L. T. Hastings.  
Chorus, "O Holy Night" (Adam), men's chorus.  
Reading, "That Night" (Best), Miss Betty Jane Yeldell.  
Offertory, selected, Mrs. B. D. Albright.  
Cantata, "King All-Glorious" (Noble), choir.  
Benediction, Rev. L. T. Hastings.

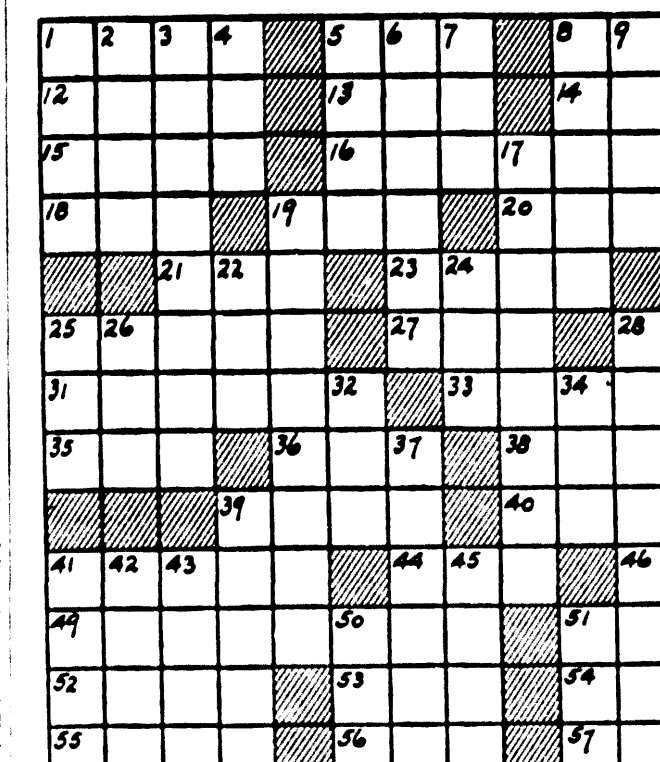
## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

**ACROSS**

1. Patient bird
2. Partly open
3. Refresh
4. The herb
5. South American bird
6. Pertaining to the Middle Ages
7. Character in "Peer Gynt"
8. Kind of fish
9. Not fresh
10. Roman house-hold god
11. Auction
12. One of Guido's musical notes
13. Purchase
14. Lale
15. Bitten
16. Excavated
17. Large dogs
18. Former Russian ruler
19. Wire
20. Swiss river
21. Fatigued
22. Town in Alaska
23. Tree trunk

**DOWN**

1. Information at hand
2. Abandoned
3. Sleep
4. Black
5. Female sheep
6. City in Oklahoma
7. Home
8. Mountain ridge
9. Variety of coffee
10. Russian sea
11. Morbid breathing sound
12. One who dwells on an island
13. Son of one's son or daughter
14. Playing card
15. Title of Mohammed
16. Make a mistake
17. American railroad magazine
18. Office in the side of a creek
19. Word of assent
20. Philippine tree used as a dyewood
21. Exhaust
22. Adorned
23. Outer coverings of wheels
24. Declare openly
25. Cancel
26. Stagnation of the mass
27. Persian poet
28. Nuisance
29. One of David's chief rulers
30. Woolly surface of cloth

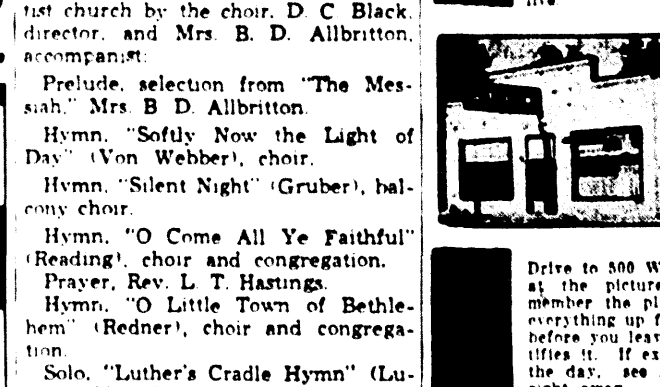


**CLOCK CAUSES ARREST**  
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—(AP)—An alarm clock is a handy signal for early risers but one rattled on Omar H. Owens, 75-year-old shopper as he was leaving a department store, the police reported. The noise of the clock was traced to one of the customer's pockets and Owens could not furnish a sales ticket for the clock. The store turned him over to the police.

There is about one pound of bromine in 7.5 tons of sea water.

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Individuals, groups, clubs or business concerns may make their gifts directly to the Home and they will be accepted with thanks.

**The Louisiana Baptist Childrens Home**  
B. F. WALLACE, Superintendent.

## MAGAZINE LAUDS WOMAN AGENT

GRAYSON, La., Dec. 15.—(Special)—The following article which appeared in the Missouri Pacific Lines magazine recently will be of interest to the friends of Mrs. Elizabeth Mathis: "One of the brightest spots on the Missouri Pacific map in Louisiana is Grayson. Our station there, from which tomatoes, Irish potatoes and pulpwood are sent out is presided over by Mrs. Elizabeth E. Mathis. She's been on the job at Grayson as agent-telegrapher for a number of years, having started to work for our company prior to the death of her husband, who was second trick telegrapher.

"Mrs. Mathis is chairman at zone booster meetings held in her station each month and is an alderman and city clerk at Grayson."

**SHRIMP FISHERS EXPECT BIG YULE**  
MORGAN CITY, La., Dec. 15.—(AP)—With a run of fair weather and extra large catches of shrimp reported by most trawlers operating out of this port, a big Christmas appears assured for the fishing folk here.

A catch of shrimp for the month that will break all records looms, and good hauls of oysters are also reported. The catch for November was 8,246 barrels of shrimp and 1,000 barrels of oysters.

Many boats are bringing in catches averaging from 50 to 100 barrels of shrimp and oysters with the "champion-ship haul" so far being the 112 barrels.

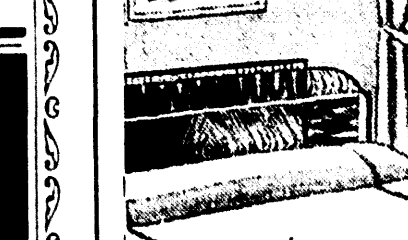
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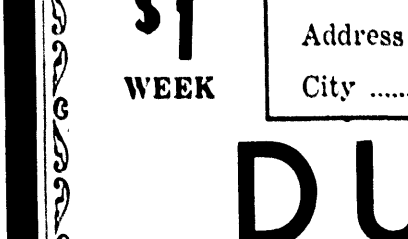
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Exactly as Illustrated  
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Prepare for the holidays by adding an extra room to your home, for these remarkably low terms. Sofa-bed in green or rust covers—an attractive sofa, and a comfortable bed in one piece.

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Bed, Chest, Vanity, Bench  
Notice the two-tone walnut finish of this suite, large 46-inch vanity with the 27 1/2-inch round mirror, the roomy 4-drawer chest, the panel bed, and upholstered bench. Get it now at these special terms.  
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1937 Dodge Coach—city owned, perfect condition. Was \$445. Special price \$366 \$72.50 Down, Balance in 1 1/2 Years	1939 Ford Deluxe Coach—black finish, white side wall tires, factory radio and heater. Original price \$745. Special price \$619
1937 Plymouth Deluxe 4-Door Sedan—cleanest in Monroe. Was \$425. Special price \$379 \$79.00 Down, Balance 1 1/2 Years	1938 Pontiac 6-Cylinder Coach. Was \$550. Special price \$489 \$99.00 Down, Balance in 1 1/2 Years
1936 Ford Coach. Was \$219. Special price \$219 \$49.50 Down, Balance in 15 Months	1939 Buick Touring Sedan—excellent condition. Was \$885. Special price \$739
1936 Plymouth 4-Door Sedan—excellent condition. Guaranteed not to use oil. Was \$335. Special price \$269 \$69.00 Down, Balance in 15 Months	1938 Dodge 4-Door Trunk Sedan. Only one owner, 14,000 miles. Guaranteed in every way. \$488 \$88 Down, Balance 1 1/2 Years
1938 Chevrolet Coach. Was \$399. Special price \$399 \$79.00 Down, Balance 1 1/2 Years	1939 Dodge Luxury Liner 4-Door Sedan. Low Mileage. Original price \$838. Now \$699
1939 Ford Standard Coach—original price \$585. Special price now \$499	1939 Ford Deluxe Coupe. Special price \$595
1939 Oldsmobile 4-Door Trunk Sedan. Was \$689. Special price \$689 \$145.00 Down, 2 Years on Balance	1938 Buick 40 Series 4-Door Sedan. Original price \$645. Special price \$499

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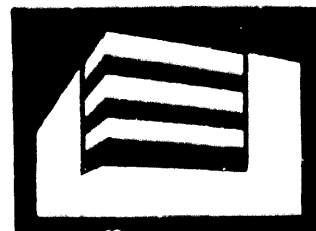
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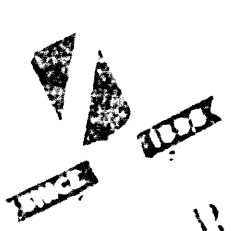


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Dear Mr. Ewing:

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the helpful and efficient service given us by your organization on the occasion of the opening of our new store.

Although it was impossible for us to accurately check the crowd that attended, we estimated that between 10,000 and 12,000 people attended the opening between 10 A.M. and 12 P.M. and this was far larger crowd than we had ever anticipated.

I feel that a great deal of the credit for this successful opening and this tremendous crowd is due to the advertising for this event, a preference of which was carried in your papers.

Again let me say, that I appreciate to the fullest extent the fine co-operation given us by yourself and your staff.

Very truly yours,  
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*Lester L. Charney*

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The Monroe News-Star  
and Monroe Morning World



# EUROPE'S WAR PROVING BOON TO DEEP SOUTH

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Old American railroads were in a healthy condition as far as potential passenger traffic is concerned.

"It is surprising the number of inquiries received from Latin America," he said. "All things point to the next winter season we've ever had."

Most steamship company executives were however cautious in their predictions and preferred to wait until after the Christmas holidays to see what trend South and Central American travel would take.

"It will reflect the greatest increase in passenger agent said, for the worst. It will not be normal because of the withdrawal of European lines from the Central and South American passenger trade, and the natural reaction of most persons to the continued sinking of ships both belligerent and neutral in various parts of the world."

"By January 15 or soon after the Christmas holidays, we should be in position to know what the winter travel season will be like."

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## Odd Items In The News

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here in the Alamo in 1835. Postmaster Dan Quill said the packages were mailed recently, from an Indianapolis publishing house.

**'BODY' FOUND ALIVE**  
SEATTLE—An English pointer's whining vigil in a stiff sent post and harbor officials on a search for the body of its master, Chester Peterson.

Just as they prepared to drag Elliott bay someone thought to call Peterson's home. Peterson himself answered. He was preparing to search for his dog. It had been missing two days.

**PRIZE PLATE**  
OMAHA, Neb.—The dinner plate Miss Adeline Fend, 22, won at a theater turned out to be a prize in more ways than one.

A would-be purse snatcher selected Miss Fend for a victim while she was homebound from the theater, but she screamed and fought so lustily that the thief became confused and made off, not with her purse but with the dinner plate.

**CHILLY HOUSE WARMING**  
ST. PAUL, Minn.—Seven friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stangler with a house warming. When the group sang "Home Sweet Home" and the Stanglers and their daughter came in, the first punch to greet them.

The door was shut behind them and the three were with the temperature falling. For 15 minutes they shivered while Stangler hunted a locksmith. Some one looked under the door.

Sure enough, there was the key.

**THINK GERMAN VESSEL TO BE USED AS BAIT**  
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# ALLIES PLACE MORE SHIPS ON GUARD AT PORT

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2,989 tons, was scuttled when intercepted by a British warship.

The Norwegian steamer *Foina*, 1,674 tons, was reported lost with 18 men.

The allies mounted a reinforced guard today over the trapped and battle-riddled *Admiral Graf Spee*, which reported her wounds under extended Norwegian sanctuary.

Two of the British cruisers before which the Nazi warship fled into Montevideo, the *Ajax* and *Achilles*, kept patrol out at sea off the port and British indicated they were joined by the 10,000-ton cruiser *Cumberland*.

There were reports that the powerful French battleship *Dunkerque*, 25,000 tons, was en route to strengthen the guard.

The Uruguayan government last night granted the Nazi warship permission to remain in port long enough to be made seaworthy.

While the Germans turned today to repairing their floating fortress and to burying their dead, 62 British seamen taken from vessels sunk by the *Admiral Graf Spee* celebrated freedom, exulting after a day in which British shells threatened to turn their prison into a tomb.

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## WAGNER TO PRESS HIS REFUGEE BILL

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Senator Wagner, Democrat, New York, said today he would press for action in the 1940 congress on his resolution to permit the immigration of 30,000 refugee children from Germany into the United States in the next two years.

He said he would not object to any "reasonable" amendment to take care of other refugees from the war in Europe.

**GOOD FELLOWS  
WILL BENEFIT**  
(Continued from First Page)

the Clarke and Golda Roan Dancing school. It's a program packed with entertainment and thrills.

The feature film is the third in the series of Nancy Drew adventures, so popular with young and old alike. The cast, besides Bonita Granville and Frankie Thomas, includes such favorites as John Lister, Charlotte Wynters, Aldrich Bowler, Renie Riano, Roger Imhof and Willie Best. The new film has been termed the tops in comedy and adventure.

But while these benefits are being presented, there is no reason that the public should halt their contributions. We need a large sum of money, more than has ever been in the past years and this is the face of the fact that cash money is received is far below the average. We are just figuratively speaking, buried with appeals, and do not know where to begin. The appeals, too, ring true. They come from bleeding hearts and from groups who know precious little of the real needs of life which most of us enjoy.

A little child-like but earnest appeal before us. "Dear Mr. Good Fellows, I am a little boy nine years old. I have a little sister seven years old. If you all don't give up something we won't have any Santa Claus. Our daddy is not working. We will be satisfied with anything you can bring us."

Another appeal showing need for simple things of life, but thus far, no one has responded. I am an old woman and in need of some things and would appreciate it if you all would bring them to me. I need two pairs of men's union suits, size 36, six yards of dark prints to make me two house dresses. I am an old crippled woman. Thanking you very much indeed.

Another disclosure even more distressing. "Dear Mr. Good Fellows—Dear Sirs—I myself was 34 years old June 13 and mother of seven children. Had accident and was carried to Shreveport Charity hospital in June and stayed there 23 days. Have not been able to work any this year. However I do all I can to try to make the best of my children. Now my rent is due and the rent man says I must get \$8 by the 15th of the month. I do not have any way in the world to get \$8 by that time. Without some one to help me I will be put out of doors with no place to go to say nothing about Christmas for if we are still alive by that time we will be doing well."

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# 2 NEGROES HELD IN DEATH PLOTS

Officers Investigate Ap-  
parent Wholesale Pois-  
oning Scheme

Because of an apparent plot to poison a large number of persons in the city, two negroes were held by police officers today.

The police officers, who are investigating the case, said that the two negroes were found in possession of a large quantity of poison, which they had obtained from a local drug store.

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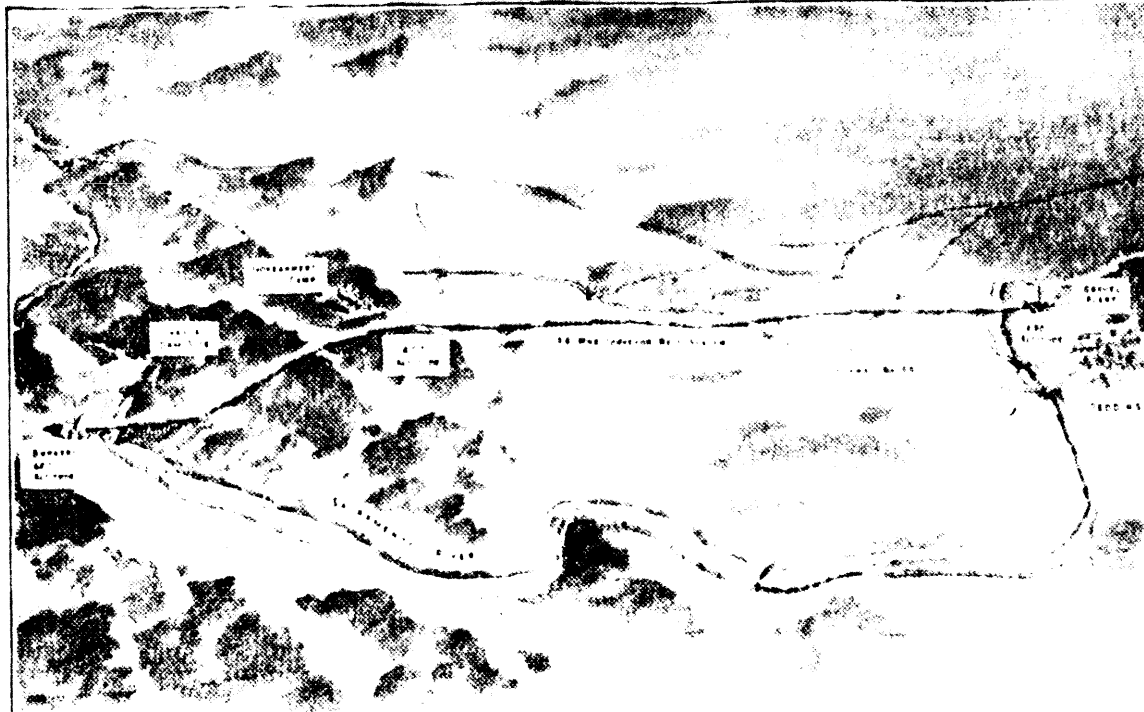
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## BIG CHRISTMAS IN PARIS IS PLANNED

PARIS, Dec. 15.—(AP) The big Christmas and New Year's celebration in Paris is being planned for the 25th and 26th of the month. The prefecture of police announced today that the city will be decorated with lights and flags, and that the streets will be closed to traffic on the 25th and 26th.

## FINLAND ONCE MORE PAYS ON WAR DEBT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—(AP) The United States today received payment of \$2,412,000 on the war debt of Finland.

stallment totaling \$32,260. The Hungarian, who owe the United States \$2,412,000, have suggested that they be permitted to pay their original debt, without interest, in about 30 annual installments.

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CHERRIES		Red Pitted 4 Large Cans	Limit 1	10c
Pears, large can	19c	Bread, 2 cans	25c	
Peaches, 2 lge. cans	25c	Ripe Olives, pt.	19c	
Lima Beans	10c	Tomato Soup, 3 for	25c	
Tomatoes	23c	Juice, 3 tall cans	25c	
Corn, 3 lge. cans	25c	Matches, 3 boxes	10c	
Tiny Peas, No. 2 can	19c	Milk, 6 small cans	19c	
Jell-o, 3 pkgs.	15c	Peabody Coffee, lb.	19c	
CORN		Del Monte Whole Kernel	Large Can	10c
Coffee, lb.	25c	Peanuts, lb.	10c	
Shelled Pecans, lb.	43c	Snowdrift, 3 lbs.	47c	
Pressed Figs, lb.	19c	Cake Flour, pkg.	25c	
Salad Dressing, qt.	19c	Salad Oil, qt.	29c	
Soap, 2 large bars	15c	O. K. Salt, 3 pkgs.	10c	
Vanilla Wafers, lb.	15c	Spaghetti, 3 pkgs.	10c	
Coconut, lb.	23c	Raisins, lb.	10c	
LARD		Armour's Star	4-Lb Carton	33c
Pitted Dates, lb.	15c	Tissue, 6 rolls	25	
Macaroni Dinner	10c	Mince Meat, 3 pkgs.	25	
Chocolates, 5-lb. box	89c	Dixie Oleo, lb.	17 1/2	
Cherries, lb.	21c	Process Butter, lb.	23 1/2	
Xmas Trees, ea.	19c	Loose Eggs, doz.	19	
Tomato Juice, can	5c	Mixed Nuts, lb.	19	
Grapes, tall can	15c	Walnuts, lb.	19	
		Pecans, lb.	15	
PEAS		2 Large Cans	Del Monte Early June	25c
Sauce, 2 lge. cans	23c	Fresh Coconuts, ea.	5	
Date Pudding, lb.	25c	Cauliflower, ea.	10	
Lux Soap, 3 bars	17c	Onions, 5 lbs.	10	
Apples, lb.	15c	Iceberg Lettuce, ea.	4	
Minced Meat, lb. can	25c	Cranberries, 2 lbs.	25	
Milk, 3 tall cans	15c	Oranges, doz.	10	
Chocolate, 1/2 lb.	13c	Grapefruit, doz.	19	
		Apples, doz.	10	
		Today Grapes, lb.	10	
HAMS		Armour's Star	Center Slices 1-lb. 33c	19c
Swift's Veal Steaks		Fresh Pork		
Lion or T-Bone, lb.	25c	Pork Chops, lb.	12 1/2	
Chops, lb.	19c	Pork Sausage, lb.	12 1/2	
Round, lb.	29c	Shoulder		
Roast, lb.	15c	Roast, lb.	12 1/2	
Armour's Treet and Ice Bowl, both	29c	Loan Steak, lb.	27	
Wilson Franks, lb.	15c	Round, lb.	27	
Philadelphia Cheese, 2 for	15c	Prime, lb.	27	
		Chuck, lb.	19	
BACON		Black Hawk 1-lb. 25c	Palace 1-lb.	17c

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## DEATHS

**ALICE KIDD LOWERY**  
Mrs. Alice Kidd Lowery, 64, of the city, died at her home today after a long illness.

**MURKIN RITES**  
The funeral for the late Mrs. M. J. Murkin, 64, of the city, will be held at 2 p.m. today at the First Baptist church.

**JOHN DEAN**  
John Dean, 64, of the city, died at his home today after a long illness.

**Mrs. Dean**  
Mrs. John Dean, 64, of the city, died at her home today after a long illness.

**Funeral services**  
Funeral services for the late Mrs. Dean will be held at 2 p.m. today at the First Baptist church.

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**Sausage** 5c Meat 5c

**POTATOES** 10 lbs. Red 13c

**Dressing** 17 1/2c Rice, 5 lbs. 15c

**BUTTER** Creamery 23c

**Peaches** 15c Bananas, doz. 10c

**PORK ROAST** lb. 11 1/2c

**Wieners** 15c Catsup, 14 oz. 10c

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Boxed Pot Roast, lb. 20c	Lamb Shoulders, lb. 12 1/2c	Refreshing Doughnuts 10c	Putman Bread, 2 for 15c	Lard, 4 lbs. 31c	Syrup, 1/2 gal. 25c	
Sliced Bacon, lb. 19c	Pure Pork Sausage, lb. 15c	Salt Rising Bread, loaf 10c	Cinnamon Rolls, doz. 9c	SPINACH MUSTARD TURNIPS—bunch 1c	Soap, bar 5c	
Pie Style—Fresh Pork <b>Shoulder</b> 10c	Pork Chops, lb. 12 1/2c	Spare Ribs, lb. 10c	Halibut Bread, loaf 7c	50c Layer Cakes 39c	10 Pounds Potatoes 12 1/2c	Pineapple Juice, 3 cans 25c

**ALAMEDA COFFEE... LOOK!... lb. 23 1/2c**

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Dressed  
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### ANY ARE AIDING COLORED MISSION

Many of the churches, both white and colored, are aiding in the campaign for cheer funds for the Mims Colored Welfare mission, stated the president, I. Marcus Mims, Friday. Rev. M. M. McCord and Deacon Joe

Roberson are leading the drive to assist many destitute colored children and aged people. These would be forgotten were it not for the work of this mission, which has carried on for six years. The president expressed gratitude for the aid given in the past and assured his confidence that it will be forthcoming again this Christmas.

### LONG ASSAILS 2 CANDIDATES

Hits Noe and Jones in Address Delivered at Columbia Thursday

COLUMBIA, Dec. 15.—(Special)—Speaking before a large crowd on the lawn of the Caldwell parish courthouse here Thursday, Governor Earl K. Long lashed out at two of his opponents as he again brought his campaign to northeast Louisiana. Sam Jones and State Senator James A. Noe were the targets for his attacks, and the governor did not mention the names of two other opponents in the gubernatorial race, James H. Morrison and Vincent Mosley.

Governor Long exhibited a sheet of "worthless oil stock" which he said Noe said to "poor widows" of this section some thirteen years ago. The governor passed among the crowd certificates of what he termed "worthless oil stock" issued to a Mrs. Mattie Price and a Mrs. M. F. Junior, of Alexandria. Long further declared that Noe went to the bedside of a widow in Union parish and persuaded her to invest \$2,000 in one of his oil promotions. He said the woman never got a single penny in return and she later died in the poorhouse in Shreveport.

A photostatic copy of an indictment allegedly brought against Noe by a federal grand jury in 1926 was passed among the crowd, with the remark that "most indictments require only one or two pages but this one against Jimmy Noe took up 22 pages. It took that much space to list all the crimes 'Olden Jimmy' is supposed to have committed."

"If I can't prove to you that he's a crook, I'll get out of the governor's race today," Governor Long said.

Long said that Noe was tried for fraud in 1926 that Judge Ben C. Dawkins, in denying a motion for acquittal, said he thought Noe "guilty beyond a reasonable doubt" and that Noe's attorneys pleaded that Noe was "too ignorant" to have sanctioned the alleged fraudulent deal of his partner.

During the day, Governor Long spoke at Sikea, Clark and Jones, besides his Columbia engagement. Today's schedule includes addresses at Sikea, Clark, Jones, Monticello and Lake Providence.

Long said Jones was "paid by the corporations" to enter the race for governor and said Jones would reduce the severance tax if elected governor and also would charge \$5 for a "poll tax receipt." He said he had nothing against the corporations but did not want them to control the state. He said Jones had a "shut front" of \$350,000 and that he was guaranteed \$100,000 to make the race.

Governor Long said State Treasurer Pat Tugwell had been asleep on the job and that the Times-Picayune and the Shreveport Times were supporting him despite the fact they opposed the man that makes it possible for a state treasurer to succeed himself. He declared that as far as he knew both Jones and Tugwell are honest.

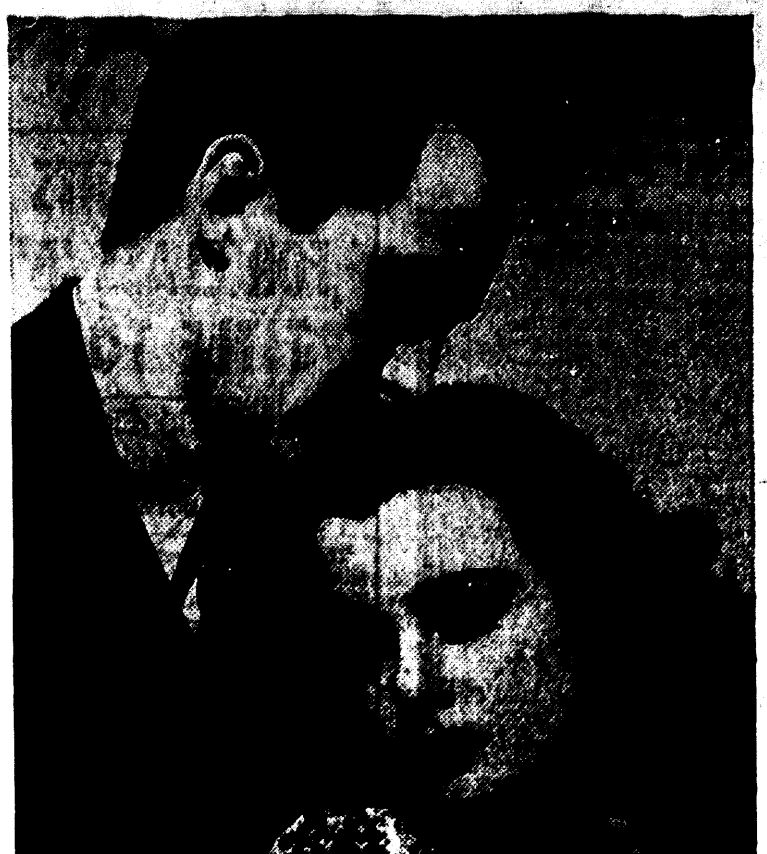
The governor told of plans for a half million dollar tuberculosis sanatorium in south Louisiana and promised another for north Louisiana if elected. He said the benefit given the people of the state by the sanatorium and promised that old age payments would be raised from two to five dollars within the next week or so.

Long said he had stopped the "defects" had prevented married men and their wives from holding jobs with the state, had stopped stealing in the penitentiary, and had uncovered numerous other law violations, resulting in restitution to the state. He said his appointees had uncovered the Bessie Beale deal.

The governor defended his program for free hot lunches to school children, stating that President Roosevelt had praised his plan. He said he was doing everything in his power "to help the poor of the state."

Speaking with Long were L. B. Baynard, candidate for state auditor,

### A ROMANTIC DUET



John Hubbard plays romantic hero to glamorous Joan Bennett in the hectic doings which take place in "The Housekeeper's Daughter," the new film comedy now showing at the Paramount theater.

Francis Burns, candidate for attorney general; Harvey Pelletier, candidate for lieutenant governor; Earl J. Christenberry, candidate for state treasurer; L. L. Kilgore, superintendent of schools in Jefferson Davis parish; J. F. Hennigan, president of the Beaugard parish school board; and Percé Smith, 37-year-old resident of Winn parish, who praised the Long family.

### MANGHAM EASTERN STAR ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

MANGHAM, La., Dec. 15.—(Special)—Virginia Chapman was elected worthy matron and W. C. Baker, worthy patron, of the Eastern Star chapter No. 132 of the Order of Eastern Star at a meeting Monday night. Sadie Humble was named associate matron and D. B. McKay, associate patron.

Other officers named to serve during 1940 were: Ethel Murray, secretary; Linda G. Pardue, treasurer; Myrtle Archibald, conductress; Lucille Baker, associate conductress; Maggie Trawick, chaplain; Melissa McKay, marshal; Ira Hixon, organist; Maude Wooten, Adah; George Ellington, Ruth; Mary Underwood, Esther; Martha Sheppard, Martha; Gettue Brunson, Electa; Clara Windham, Warden; Sunshine Logan, sentinel.

Installation of officers will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

### 14 SURVIVORS LAND

LONDON, Dec. 15.—(AP)—Fourteen of the 13 members of the crew of the 110-ton Belgian steamer Rosa landed in Great Britain today and said their ship sank after an explosion off the northern British coast. One man died and two survivors were injured.

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Dress It . . . Draw It . . . Deliver It

Sugar	45c	Potatoes	15c
Peas	17 1/2c	Salmon	22c
Milk	20c	Lard	69c
Corn	20c	Shells	85c
Chops	16c	Sausage	25c
Sausage	10c	Meat	12c
Hens	15c	Fryers	25c

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Rose Bushes, Japonicas, Azaleas, Etc.  
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### TUBERCULOSIS IS CALLED YOUTH FOE

Tuberculosis is called "the foe of youth." This might be limited by calling it "the foe of girls and young women" because tuberculosis for them is one and one-half times that of their brothers of the same age—one fourth of all deaths of young women between the ages of 15 and 30 are from tuberculosis.

This high mortality among young women is of grave concern to all of us.

Tuberculosis is a communicable disease. It spreads from one person to another. Prevention is, therefore, of both personal and community hygiene. Protect yourself and the children of your household who are near and dear to each one of you.

One of the best ways to help protect your children is to buy Christmas seals. The funds raised in this manner help the Quachita Tuberculosis and



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### Public Health association to carry on its year-around activities against tuberculosis.

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### REAL ESTATE

Real estate transfers recorded yesterday at the office of the clerk of court of Ouachita parish were:

N. B. Golsen and P. J. Golsen sold

to John H. Bennett, Jr., 1/2 of the Jackson lot 1 and 2 of G. E. Bennett subdivision of part of section township 17 north, range 1 east, sec. 3400.

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Bokar Coffee, lb. 19c

Peaches, Iona, 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 25c

Pears, Bartlett, No. 2 1/2 can 15c

Butter, A & P's Delicious Tub Butter, lb. 31c

Dates, Bulk, Fine for Cakes and Candy, 2 lbs. 25c

Lard, Pure Vegetable, 4 lbs. 37c; 8 lbs. 75c

Apples, Extra Large, Fancy Delicious, doz. 29c

Cherries, Chocolate Covered, 1-lb. pkg. 21c

Oleo, Nutley, 2 lbs. 25c

Beans with Pork, Ann Page, lb. can 5c

Potatoes, 10 lbs. 19c

Onions, 5 lbs. 10c

Grapes, 2 lbs. 15c

A & P Soft Twist—18-oz. Loaves, Break, 2 for 15c

Pork Ribs 12 1/2c

K. C. Beef Stew 12 1/2c

Pan Sausage 12 1/2c

Veal Chops 15c

Veal Roast 15c

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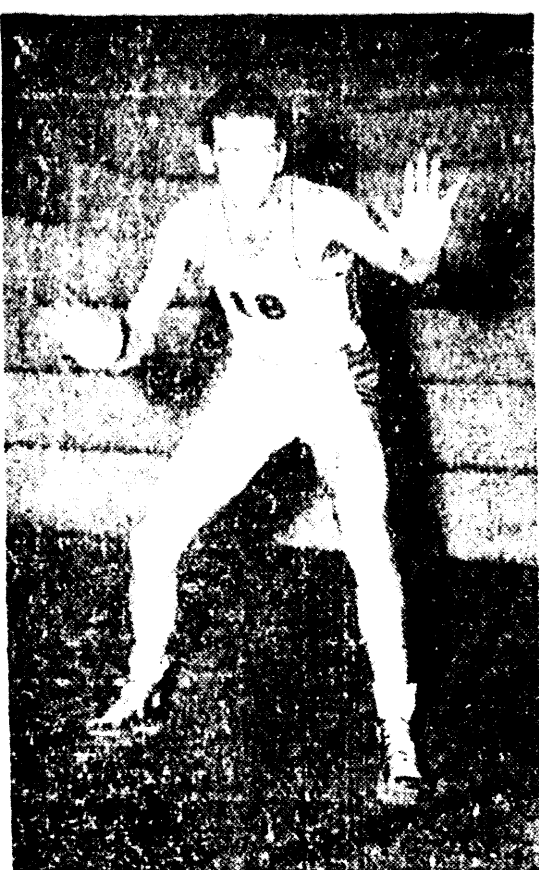
## COMEBACK OF IOWA RANKED IN 2ND PLACE

Galento's K. O. Of Nova And Knockdown Of Louis Placed Third

By Bill Foster

The comeback of Iowa to second place in the national college basketball rankings was the biggest surprise of the week. The Hawkeyes, who had been ranked 10th, moved up to second place after a 75-65 victory over Michigan on Saturday night.

## URANIANS IN TECH LINEUP AGAINST FROGS



## TECHMEN MEET Play Swaps By Grid Foes FROGS TONIGHT Merely Courteous Gesture

Bundog Canins Have Guns Set On T. C. U. After Win Wednesday

The Tech football team will meet the Bundog Canins of the University of Tennessee on Wednesday night. The Tech team, coached by Bud Wilkinson, is looking for a victory to boost its morale after a series of losses.

## BURNS, PARKER ON MAT CARD

Will Risk Unbeaten Record Against Tuesday Matrons To Meet Samson

Willie Burns and Parker will risk their unbeaten records in a boxing match on Tuesday night. Burns is a former champion and Parker is a rising star in the sport.

## CLARKS FIGHTS FOR CLASS 'B' TITLE TODAY

Lumberjack Eleven Has Weight Advantage In Game At Kentwood

The Clark's Lumberjack team will fight for the Class 'B' title today at Kentwood. The team has a weight advantage over their opponents and is expected to perform well.

## OUACHITA LIONS TO ENGAGE ARKANSAS FIVE HERE TONIGHT

Lions meet their fifth basketball opponent of the season when they play the strong Hamburg, Ark. quintet here tonight at 7 o'clock in the Ouachita gymnasium.

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## 8 TAKE LEAD IN MIAMI TOUR

Byron Nelson Among Shattering Par In Round Of Open

Eight golfers, including Byron Nelson, took the lead in the Miami tournament on Saturday. Nelson's performance was particularly impressive, shattering the par in one of the rounds.

### SPORTS MIRROR

The sports mirror reflects the events of the week, including the basketball games, the boxing match, and the golf tournament.

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## SICILY ISLAND TOURNEY GETS UNDER WAY TODAY

SICILY ISLAND, La., Dec. 15. (Special) The Sicily Island cage tournament for junior boys and girls gets under way here today morning at 9 o'clock with ten boys' teams and nine girls' teams entered.

In the boys' division of the meet will be teams from Enterprise, Harrisonburg, Sicily Island, Black of Jonesville, Manifest, Central, Wisner, Fellowship, Monterey and Ferriday.

Girls' teams entered are Sicily Island, Harrisonburg, Manifest, Enterprise, Black, Ferriday, Wisner, Central and Monterey.

Trophies will be awarded first and second place winners in each division.

As an added attraction, the senior boys' and girls' teams of Sicily Island and Black High schools will clash in a double header preceding the tournament finals, which begins at 6 p. m. Friday.

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# SUGAR BOWL TICKETS ARE NEAR SELLOUT

Possibility Of Putting Up Temporary Wooden Seats Discussed

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—The Sugar Bowl was short of a sellout Thursday by only a few dozen combination tickets as word came from Texas A. and M. that their supply of 12,000 seats had been disposed of and Louisiana authorities announced they would take care of their own allocation.

The Sugar Bowl officials have received a pile of telegrams and letters, many asking for seats that were not there. All tickets now on sale were the \$10 combination tickets admitting the post-season football events on the mid-winter sports program, including the Tulane-Texas Aggies football game.

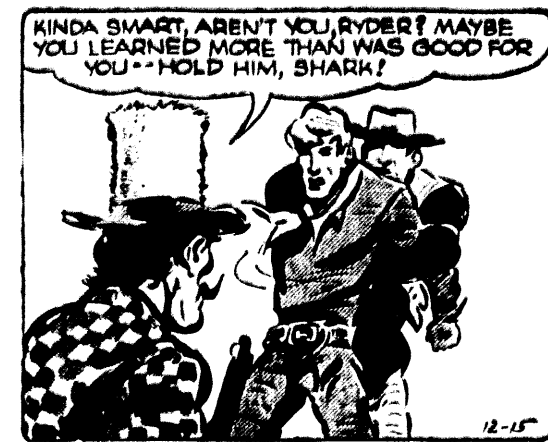
Possibility of putting up temporary wooden seats to add to the 12,000 capacity of the Tulane stadium was being considered, but no definite announcement to this effect has been made.

Ed Hooker, secretary of the A. and M. athletic council, notified the Sugar Bowl office Thursday that the 12,000 tickets allotted to Texas had been sold. He said requests for tickets were being received by people in New Orleans who were unable to get them at home.

Dr. Walter C. Smith, Tulane athletic director, said all the seats made available to that university would be taken care of by students and faculty, and none would be returned for general sale.

The problem of housing the mass of A. and M. supporters is another one

## RED RYDER



## THE MURDER PLOT



—By Fred Harman

classifications. White did it in 1937 and O'Brien in 1938.

**FIGHTS LAST NIGHT**  
(By Associated Press)  
AIKEN, S. C.—Johnny Nisio, 186, Cleveland, knocked out Jack Lawton, 193, Tampa, Fla. (4).  
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Everett Nightmire, 186, Sioux City, Ia., outpointed Albert Mancini, 186, Providence (10).  
WATERBURY, Conn.—Dick Turcotte, 146, Waterbury, stopped John-

By Donnell, 146, Waterbury (12).  
(7).  
FALL RIVER, Mass.—Billie Lee, 146, Fall River, knocked out Billie Lee, 146, Fall River, 10. BALTIMORE—Charles Green, 186, Baltimore, stopped Norman Green, 186, Baltimore, 10. C. C. ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Young Buffalo, 186, Philadelphia, stopped Bobby Jones, 186, Atlantic City (12).

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## SEVERANCE TAX FIGURES SOUGHT

NEW IBERIA, La., Dec. 15.—The Iberia parish police jury asked state officials yesterday for "exact" figures on severance taxes collected in the parish so it could determine if it has received its just proportion of such revenue taxes.

The state issued a recent article in the New Orleans Times-Picayune charging that the parish officials had

## Aggies' 'Twelfth Man' To Make Trip To Sugar Bowl

Band, Cadet Corps And Mascot Will Accompany Team To New Orleans

COLLEGE STATION, Tex., Dec. 15.—(AP)—The Texas Aggies, ranked by experts as the nation's No. 1 football team, will barge into the Sugar Bowl against Tulane with:

- A 50-man squad.
- A 210 piece band.
- A dog mascot.
- And a goodly part of the college's 6,000 cadets.

The cadets, the dog and the band long have been known as the Aggies' "twelfth man." They couldn't play without 'em.

Every man who came out for varsity football and remained, including the ineligible who didn't see a minute's service, will make the trip.

And that big squad will include big John Kimbrough, the all-America fullback who suffered a broken eardrum in the final game against Texas. He has been pronounced sound by physicians.

It's taken for granted that the "twelfth man" will go along. Things wouldn't be right if that massive band led by Roy Lee, a boy dog with a big mascot, "The Aggie," didn't precede the Aggies on the field.

The throngs of thousands of khaki-clad "bothers," many of whom will spend days thumbing their way to New Orleans, is as much a part of the Aggie setup as a quarterback.

The Aggie athletic council unanimously voted to send the band, second largest collegiate band in the nation, to the New Orleans classic, expenses paid. No definite check has been made on the number of students expected to go, but 1,500 tickets have been sold to date.

Taken together, the cadets, with their band and dog, the Aggies' "twelfth man," will be in spectacular display.

On Tuesday, New Year's eve, the stadium, the constant drumming coming from 6,000 youngsters, who stand the night of the game, sounding like a giant beehive.

Yells are backed in short, clipped tones, and the West Point and Annapolis cadets, N. Y. night passes during the football season, and it is said that the cadets don't gather in front of the Y building on the campus and go through a 30-minute drill practice.

And well as the wind, cheer is taken in Aggieville.

## TROJANS PLAY PELS TONIGHT FOR 'A' TITLE

However, Underdogs Will Put Fast, Alert Eleven On Field

TALLULAH, La., Dec. 15.—(Special)—The north Louisiana Class A football championship will be decided here Friday night in a battle between the Homer High school Pelicans and the Tallulah High school Trojans. The game is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock at Legion field.

The powerful Homer eleven, with an advantage in weight and experience, is a big favorite to win, but the Trojans have always turned out teams hard to beat and the Pels are expected to have a tremendous night. The Trojans figure that with heads-up playing and a few breaks they can stomp the dope bucket all over the invaders.

Although the odds are in their favor, the Pelicans have been warned against overconfidence and according to Principal H. G. Robinson, have been "prepping" for the fast and shifty Trojans in dead earnest. Homer is looking forward to the hardest fought game of the season, and the Pelicans are leaving nothing undone that they feel might aid them in winning this game and the right to play the south Louisiana champions for the state Class A championship.

The Pelicans, seeking their second state Class A crown in three years, will be sporting five members of the team that won the state championship in 1937. They are Gene Chadwick, 175-pound fullback, a power on offense and defense, E. B. McKeever, line smasher, hard running halfback, Stub Atkins, stellar quarterback, Lewis Atkins, capable passer, punter and blocking back, and Leary Shaw, veteran guard.

The veteran Homer backfield is expected to be the downfall of the locals. The four members of the starting Pelican backfield have more than three years' experience. The Trojans feel they can stop the veteran backfield if they can crack the heavier but less experienced Homer line.

The Trojans pin their victory hopes on the work of such dependable backs as Ellis Lancaster, Emmett Lancaster, Stuart M. Smith, Peyton Carney, and "Little Red" Campbell.

The Trojans line, despite its expected dwarfed appearance before the towering Pels, has been fast charging, deadly in tackling and otherwise a good performer in all games this year. The Trojans' forwards, hammered through the heavier Bastrop line last week and plan the same procedure for the Pelicans.

Harmon and Andre Sevier are good ends. Billy Boswell and Melvin are at tackle; the guards are Bud Kyrar and Jack Jones, and Carl has been effective as center.

Tallulah is prepared for its largest football crowd of the season, with a big delegation of fans expected from Homer and Claiborne parish and from the surrounding territory.

The probable starting lineups:  
Homer Wgt. Pos. Wgt. Tallulah  
Fisher 215 LB 148 Harmon  
Robinson 215 LB 165 E. B. McKeever  
Braserton 160 LG 140 Kyrar  
Douglas 155 C 151 Carl  
Shaw 180 RG 164 Jones  
Gholson 195 RT 154 Melvin  
Lay 145 RE 156 Sevier  
S. Atkins 160 QB 134 Ellis Lancaster  
McKenzie 170 HB 146 Emmett Lancaster  
L. Atkins 165 LB 151 Cameron  
Chadwick 195 FB 150 Moberly  
Officials: "Lefty" Haynes (Tulane), referee; Hal Willis (La. Tech) umpire; Mack Avants (Tulane), head linesman; and Godfrey Fleischman (Michigan), field judge.

## GRIDIRON FAILS TO SHOW OUTSTANDING STATISTICS LEADER

SEATTLE, Dec. 15.—(AP)—The 1939 football season failed to produce an outstanding performer—statistically, that is.

There were no Whizzer Whites as of 1937, nor Davey O'Brien, as of 1938, who not only caught the popular fancy but who also captured statistical honors as yardage gainers on the ground and in the air.

This was the conclusion Thursday of the American football statistical bureau.

The gridders who did catch the popular fancy, Nile Kinnick, iron man from Iowa, ranked ninth among the season's greatest ground-gainers, gaining 908 yards in eight games. He ranked fourth in average yards gained per game with 124.8.

While Kinnick goes down in the books as the public's 1939 hero by acclaim, three other backs take statistical honors—Kenny Washington, great negro halfback from the University of California at Los Angeles; Tom Harmon, the Michigan Spook, and Kay Eakin, the Arkansas Traveler.

These three wound up in a photo finish for individual total offensive honors. Washington gained 1,365 yards in 10 games to rank first. Harmon was nine yards back at 1,356 in eight games, and Eakin was 14 yards behind Harmon at 1,344 in ten games.

In the average yards gained per game, Harmon was first with 169.5; Washington second with 136.5, and Eakin third with 134.2.

Harmon's 864 yards from rushing topped the 1938 mark of 831 set by Len Ehmert of Fordham.

It was the first time in the bureau's three year history that the total offense leader did not top both the total yards gained and average per game.

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## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Eddie Brietz

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—St. John's college (Minnesota) is getting ready to start the new year's season by organizing a wrestling team. "Bully," a former boxer, and "Italy," a former wrestler, will fight here for the Finnish relief fund, signed articles for the boat at the Finnish consulate.

Official bowl game odds—Rose Southern California 4-5 over Tennessee, Cotton 4-5 over Tulane, Sugar Texas A. and M. 4-5 over Tulane, Orange Georgia Tech 5-1 over Missouri.

Joe Louis co-authors a magazine piece and ranks his opponents in this order: Galento, Pastor, Nava, Godoy and Cuyehok. Mike Jacobs has Billy Conn as his best guest down in Jersey and is trying to make Billy eat his way into the heavyweight division.

C. M. Gibbs, Baltimore Sun: "Tennessee's Volk are enjoying a nine-day vacation before starting training for the Rose Bowl." Coach Neyland says, "They deserve rest after their hard campaign this fall." Their hard season included games with N. C. State, Sewanee, Mercer and The Citadel.

Steve O'Neill is the original shuffler off to Buffalo. Since the baseball season ended he was commuted there from Cleveland five times to attend banquets in his honor. First under the wire with Christmas greetings was Fred Turberville, our old boy on the Baltimore Evening Sun. Lou Diamond, the honest brickman, was second in a one-mile-delivery finish.

Glenn Cunningham will stop off in Texas for several lecture engagements on the way east for the

indoor track season. . . The bleaties are bleating and unless the Giants and Yanks cut the tariff there'll be no broadcasts from the Stadium and Polo Grounds next summer.

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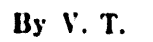
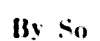
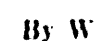
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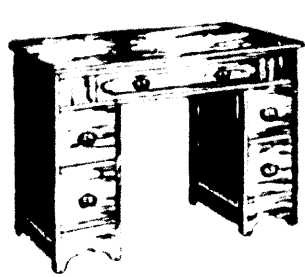


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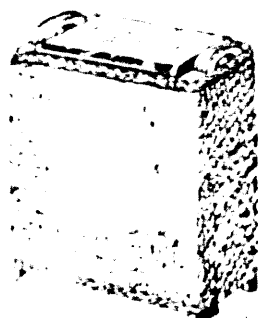
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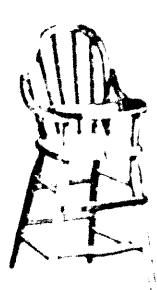
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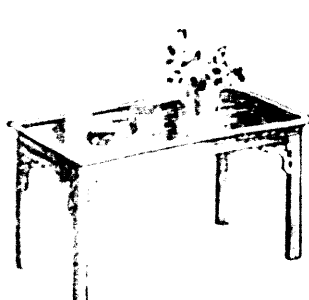
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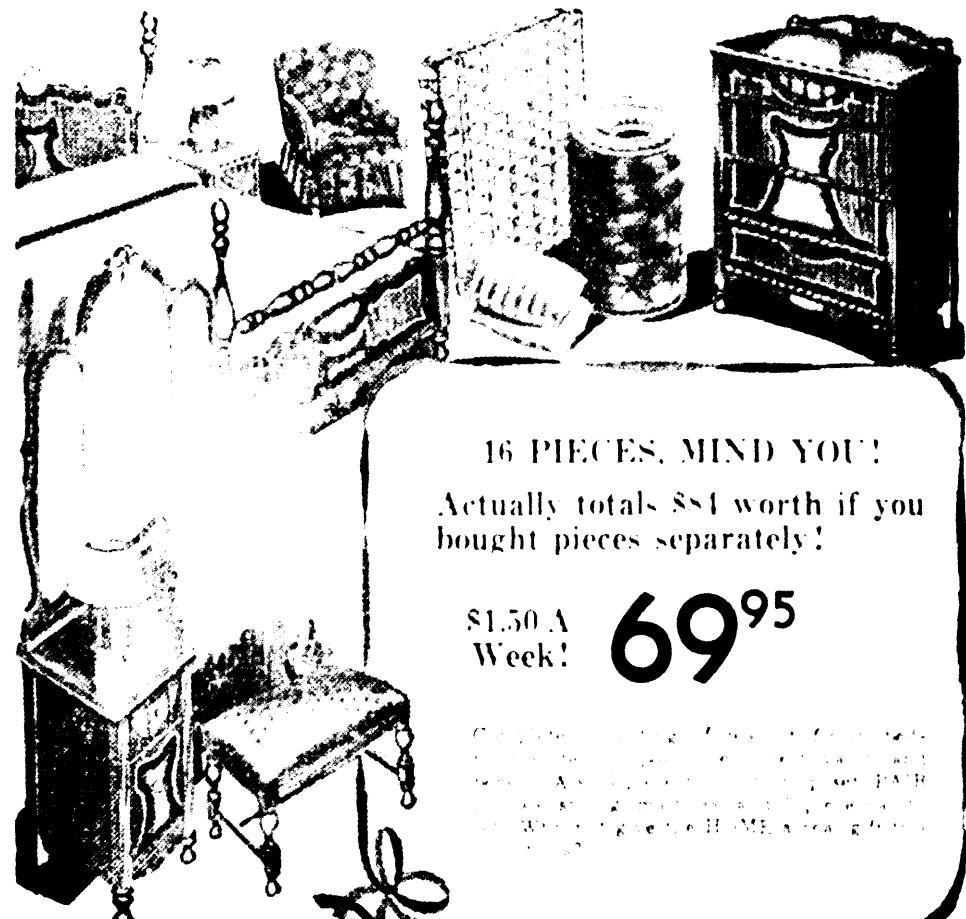


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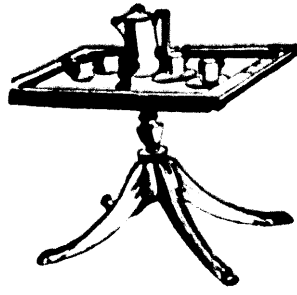
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One look will convince you that  
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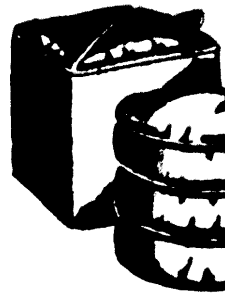
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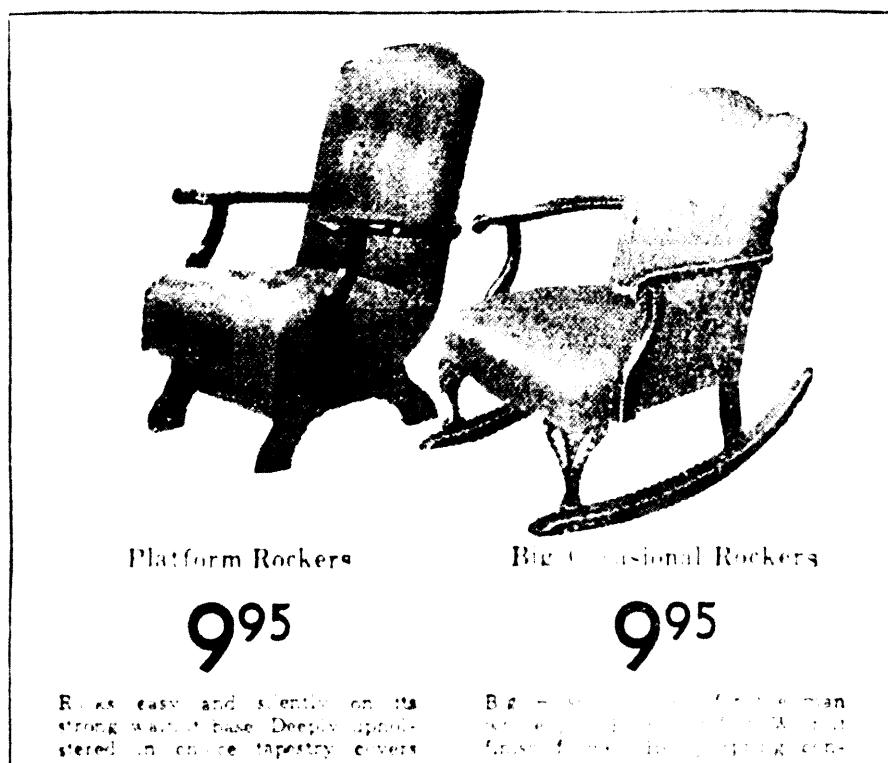


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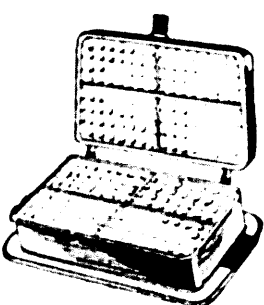


Platform Rockers

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Big Platform Rockers

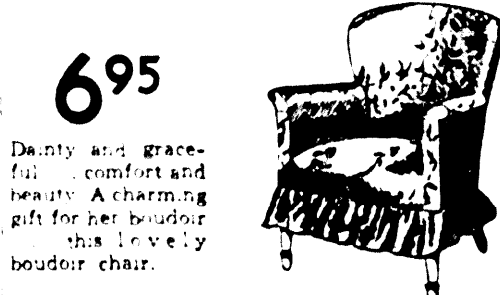
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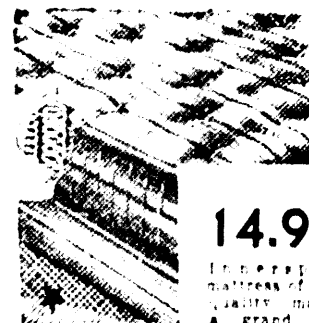
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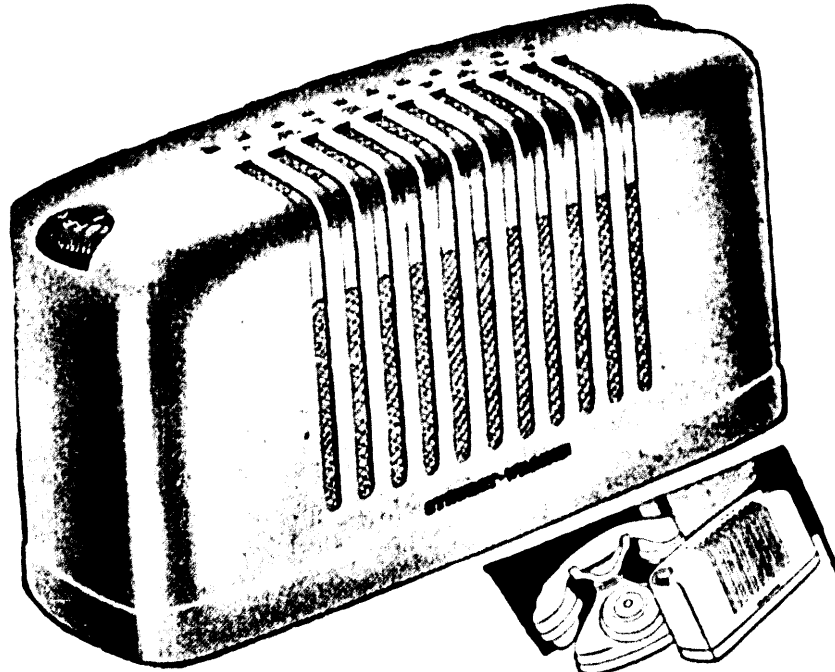
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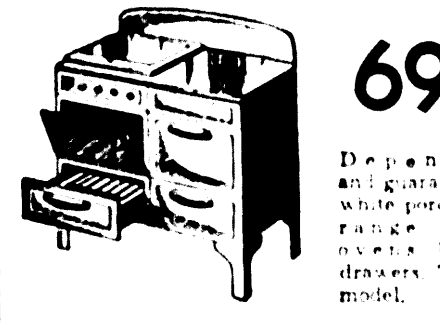
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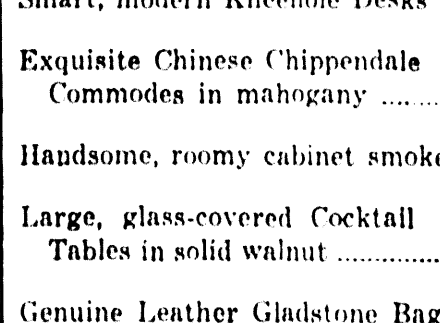
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